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SUBJECT: JAMAICA: DELIVERY OF DEMARCHE ON U.S. GOVERNMENT SUPPORT FOR  
DR VICTOR VILLALOBOS AS CANDIDATE FOR DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE  
INTER-AMERICAN INSTITUTE FOR COOPERATION ON AGRICULTURE (IICA)

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1. (U) Per reftel, Emboff delivered demarche requesting the support of the Government of Jamaica (GOJ) for the candidacy of Dr. Victor Villalobos for Director General of the Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture (IICA) at the Inter-American Board of Agriculture (IABA) meeting in Montego Bay, Jamaica, on October 29-30, 2009. Demarche was delivered to Ms. Norma Taylor Roberts, Director of the International Organizations Department of the GOJ's Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade (MFAFT) on the afternoon of October 26.

2. (U) Ms. Roberts informed Emboff that the GOJ would be supporting Dr. Villalobos for Director General.  
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